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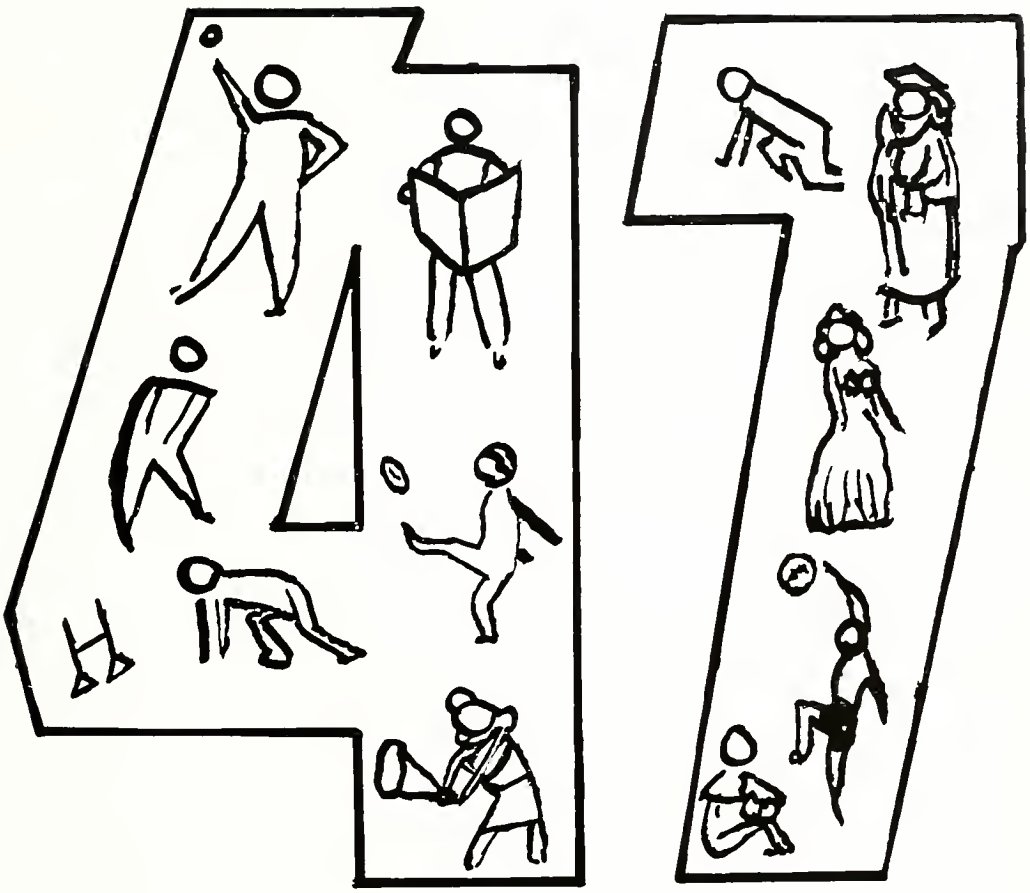

Talisman

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The Senior Class
of
York High School
1947

MEET JACK AND JILL - THE YORK TWINS AS THEY WANDER ABOUT SCHOOL MEETING TEACHERS MAKING FRIENDS STUDYING HARD AND PLAYING FAIR

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Theron Ray

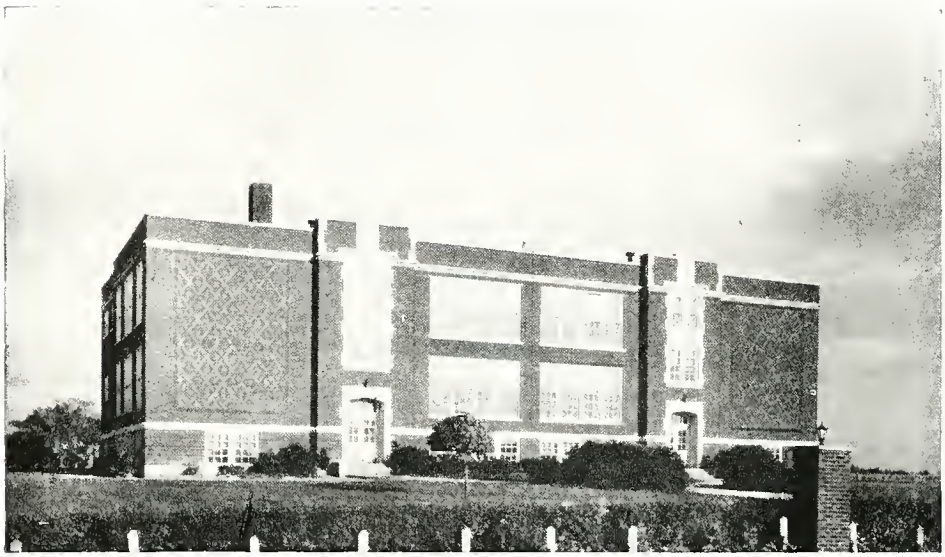
B.S. Baldwin-Wallace
B.S. Ohio State

Mathematics
Science

Dedication

We, the Senior Class of 1947, dedicate this issue of the "Talisman" to Mr. Ray for the work, time, and patience he has given for the welfare of the students. We hope he will accept this small homage as a symbol of our grateful appreciation for his untiring labors. May we always remember the memories we shared together.

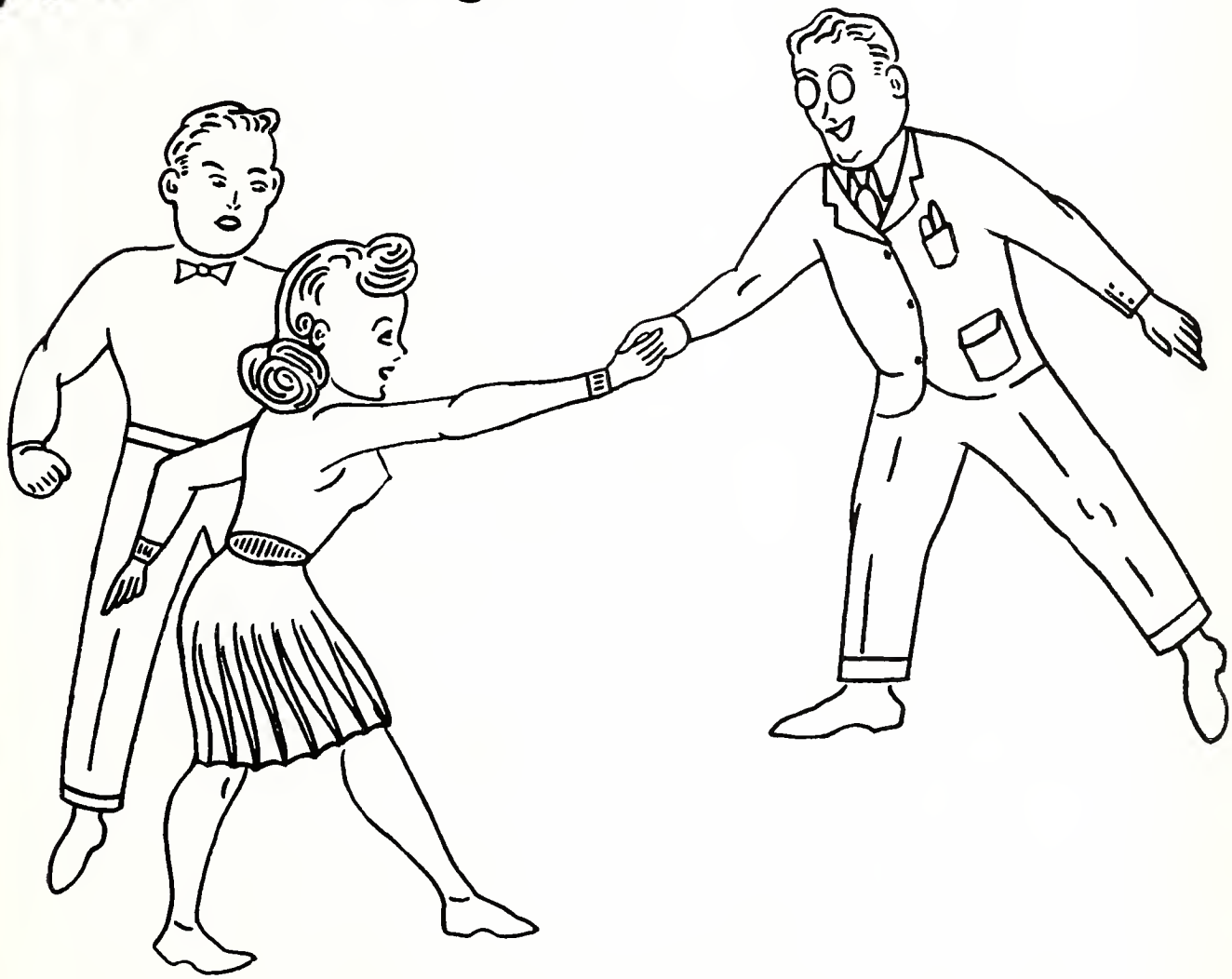
Foreword



As we enter the final stages of our school career, we the Senior Class of 1947, wish to express our thanks to the faculty, the School Board, our parents and all others with whom we have been associated these past twelve years.

May the contents of this book, now and in time to come, be a record of happenings and memories derived from our past. We now publish this book for those causes.

Meeting Teachers



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Board of Education

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Second Row: Harold Gamble, M. R. Linton, Orren Welker.

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Superintendent

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Commercial

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B.S. Ohio Northern University
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Vocational Agriculture

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Ohio Northern University
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Ohio Northern University
Intermediate

Eva Zinn
Ohio Northern University
Intermediate

Laurena Nagel

Bowling Green University
Elementary Education

Mildred Leis

Bowling Green University
Kindergarten - Primary

Making Friends

George Couts **Georgie**

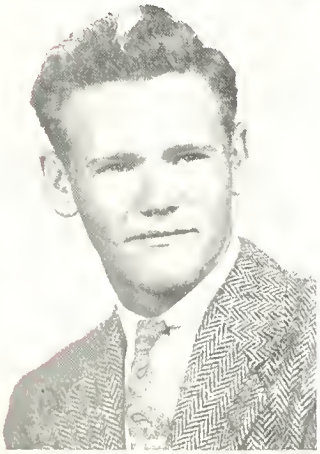
F.F.A. 1-2
Basketball 1-2-3-4
Asst. Editor, Talisman 4

Jay Couts **Man**

Talisman Business Mgr. 4
Spotlight Circulation Mgr. 3
Class Play 3-4
Music 1
Basketball 1-2

Dorothy Crowe **Dot**

Mixed Chorus 1-3-4
Girls' Chorus 1-3-4
Class Play 3-4
Class Secretary 3
Girl Reserve 1-2
Spotlight Feature Editor 3



Earl Davis **Earl**

Basketball 1-2-3-4
Baseball 1-2-3-4
Mixed Chorus 1-2
Talisman Art Editor 4
Spotlight Art Editor 2-3
Class Play 3-4
Vice President 4

Marilyn Evans **Me Me**

Girls' Chorus 1-2-3-4
Mixed Chorus 1-2-3-4
Class Play 3-4
Girl Reserve 1-2
Spotlight Staff 2-3

Georgia George **Gee Gee**

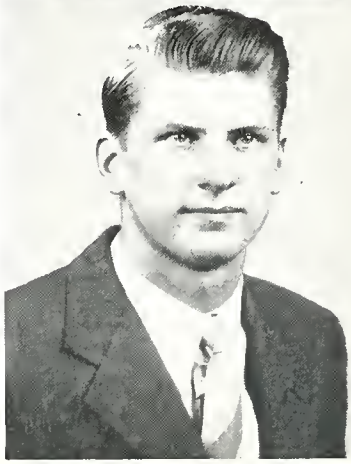
Class Play 3-4
Girls' Chorus 1-3-4
Mixed Chorus 1-3-4
Class Treasurer 2-4

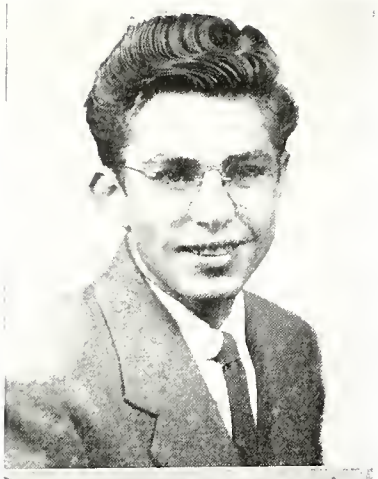
Helen Hiller **Squirt**

Class Play 3-4
Girls' Chorus 1-2-3-4
Mixed Chorus 1-2-3-4
Spotlight Editor 3
4-H 1-2-3-4
Girl Reserve 1-2-3
Y-Teens 4
Class Secretary 1-4
Class Treasurer 1

Paul Linton **Dutchman**

Basketball 1-2-3-4
F. F. A. 1-2-3-4
Baseball 3
Spotlight Sports Editor 3
Class President 2





William McNamee **Muzz**

Basketball 4
Baseball 4
Class Play 4
Mixed Chorus 4
Talisman Sports Editor 4
Spencerville 1-2-3

Lloyd Miller **Elmer**

Class Play 3-4
Class President 4
F. F. A. (Sec. 3-4) 2-3-4
Baseball 3
Class Treasurer 3
Talisman Art Editor 4
Mendon 1

Warren Morris **Dutch**

F. F. A. 1-2-3-4
Class Play Mgr. 3-4

Marcia Painter **Jeanie**

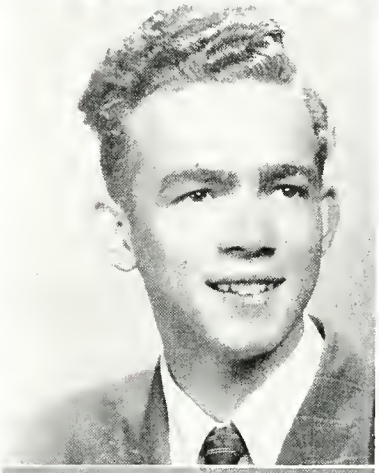
Girls' Chorus 1-2-3-4
Mixed Chorus 1-2-3-4
Girl Reserve 1-2-3
Y-Teen 4
Class Play 3-4
Vice President 1
Class Reporter 3

Don Phelps **Don**

Basketball Mgr. 4
F. F. A. 2-3-4
Class Play 3
Class President 3
Spotlight Staff 3
Class Treasurer 1

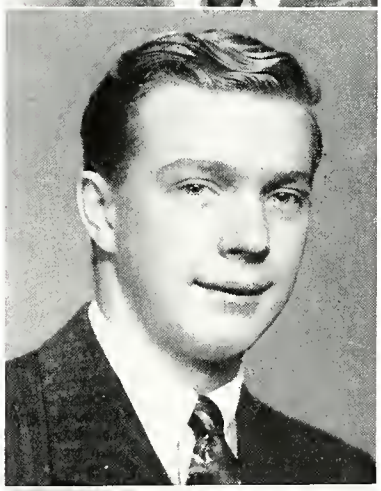
Everett Rigdon **Everett**

Mixed Chorus 4
Middlepoint 1-2-3



John Schwartz **Chic**

F. F. A. 1-2-3-4
Class Play Mgr. 3-4

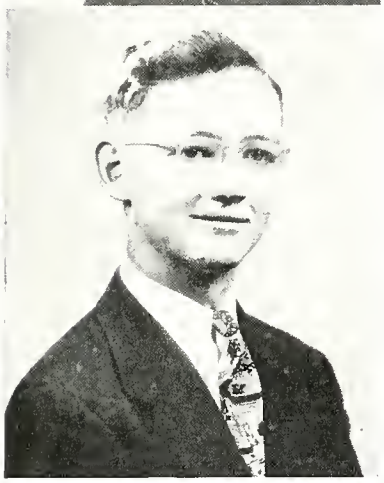


Ida Thomas **Idie**

Class Play 3-4
Girls' Chorus 1-2-3-4
Mixed Chorus 1-2-3-4
Girl Reserve 1-2-3
Y-Teen 4
Spotlight Staff 3
Talisman Staff 3
Class Reporter 4

Clarence Wallick **Sixie**

Class Play 3
F. F. A. 1-2-3-4
Class President 2



David Williams **Jackie**

Class Play 3-4
Basketball 1-2-3-4
Baseball 1-2-3-4
Talisman Editor-in-Chief 4
Spotlight Editor-in-Chief 2
Class President 1
Mixed Chorus 1-2-3
Class Vice President 3

Class History

Dear Diary,

May 1936

We started this year with twenty-one in our class. Miss Burgett has taught us thus far. Our class was saddened by the death of Claude Starbuck. Donald George and Richard Evans led our group with Helen Hiller filling a vacancy. This has been an exciting year diary.

April 1937

Well diary, another year almost ended. Donald Jones left us but Don Phelps entered our group. Miss Brown had the task of teaching us as we got less bashful and afraid of school.

May 1938-39

We have neglected you, diary, in the last two years, but many things have happened under Miss Kriecher and Miss Evans. Donald Wagner and Ronald Harp proceeded while Gene Fronefield and Dorothy Crowe filled empty seats. Many have shown dramatic ability in the operettas in which we have participated.

May 1940-41

D. Edwin Jones was our teacher these last two years. David Girod left us and Clarence Wallick came to stay.

May 1942-43

As years go by Miss Jones and Mrs. Lewis supervised our classes while David Van Eman went to the Armed Forces. Paul Linton was voted our first class president. Tom Miller left our ranks of problem children this year.

June 1944

Gee, diary our school was very exciting this year with our Freshman year behind us. With new friends and activities this year was an outstanding one.

May 1945

Well, we are now dignified upperclassmen with Miss Hessenburger at our head and many new experiences.

June 1946

Well, to take our time again diary, to reveal the facts. We put on our first class play with Marilyn Evans and Earl Davis in the leading roles. It was a success called the "Whole Truth." We also received our class rings with some changing possessions soon after. We held our Prom, the event of the year, at the Whitehall Inn.

April 1947

This year is almost over diary. I am writing the last entry in your pages. Mrs. Morris directed our play the "Galloping Ghosts". We made a jaunt to Fort Wayne to take our photos. Mrs. Morris entertained us very nicely at a Holiday party before Christmas. Bill McNamee and Everett Rigdon increased our group. Well before I close your pages diary, there are many memories not written here, but aren't to be forgotten and so I will close these pages for now.

Class Will

We, the Senior Class of 1947 of York High School having been acknowledged mentally and physically perfect by the dear faculty and devoted underclassmen, do hereby make our last will and testament.

1. To the Juniors we will our quiet disposition, excellent grades and good behavior which we feel they can use.

2. To the Sophomores, we will our knowledge and ability to stay out of trouble.

3. To the Freshmen, we will our studious work over assignments and the uproar we can make.

4. We are sure that our teachers will agree when we say there has never been a group quite like us. They will miss us we know, so:

To the Teachers, we leave all the chalk we have broken, the paper wads we have thrown and the echoes of the noise we have made.

5. Marcia Painter—Wills her ability to get along with her classmates to Maxine Crone.

6. David Williams—Wills the job of Editor-in-Chief of the "Talisman" to any Junior next year.

7. Helen Hiller—Wills her ability to go with a boy named "Bill" to Margaret Ries.

8. Paul Linton—Wills his ability to go with girls to Merl Emans.

9. Dorothy Crowe—Wills her ability to blush to anyone who wants to be as embarrassed as she has by doing so.

10. Earl Davies—Wills his athletic ability to Art Thomas if he should ever need it.

11. Marilyn Evans—Wills her quiet ways to Carriebelle Burcaw.

12. Lloyd Miller—Wills his ability to drive a Pontiac to Jack Fronefield.

13. Ida Thomas—Wills her expression of being jolly and smiling to Dorothea Pugh.

14. Bill McNamee—Wills his shyness to Johnny Brenneman.

15. Georgia George—Wills her position as Class Treasurer for three years to anyone who wants it.

16. Don Phelps—Wills his ability to be seen and not heard to Wayne Bolton.

17. Jay Couts—Wills his tiny structure to Ettamay Patrick.

18. Johnny Schwartz—Wills his ability to skip school to Dale Lewis.
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19. Warren Morris—Wills his ability of being able to drive any auto, at any speed to Morgan Roberts.

20. Clarence Wallick—Wills his will power to stay away from Delphos to Donald Boley.

21. George Couts—Wills his ability to go somewhere every night to Don Price.

22. Everett Rigdon—Wills his bashfulness to Howard Bevington.

By M. E.

Class Prophecy

R. R. 1
Van Wert, Ohio
January 13, 1957

Dear Georgia:

Well George it has been ten years since we left good old York High. I was thinking about you the other day and I thought I would write you and tell you about all our old classmates in case you don't know about them. I was glad to hear that you and Lloyd Miller are happily married on your 120 acre farm. I bet those two little red-headed kids keep you busy.

David Williams is now chief engineer at Wright's Field in Dayton. Remember all those model planes he used to build.

Don Phelps has now gone into the turkey business for himself. People from all over the country come to Phelps' Turkey Ranch to get their turkeys. Remember how he used to work for the Jones Brothers.

Since Marcia Painter has worked at Balyeat's for such a long time, Don and Stub finally decided to make her manager of everything.

Paul Linton and Rita finally took the fatal step. They are now living on their 300 acre farm with a complete line of Minneapolis Moline machinery and a Plymouth car for each one of them.

Ray and Jay Couts have now gained their places in Barnum and Bailey's side show as the biggest "men" on earth. They sure have grown since they left York.

Clarence Wallick has invented a new type of Allis-Chalmers tractor that goes fifty miles an hour on the road. It almost keeps up with the "Green Hornet," the name we used to call his car. Remember how he used to drive it around and turn his spotlight on people.

Ida Thomas has half interest in McCoy's Flower Shop in Van Wert. They are going to start a new shop in Venedocia. She and Johnny have the best and most beautiful flowers in the world.

Everett Rigdon is now President of the Watkins Company and boy is he ever "rolling" in the money.

George Couts has made a name for himself as an all star basketball player for the Zollner Pistons and has won several awards.

Marilyn Evans is now an opera singer in the Metropolitan Opera House in New York City. I have never heard her but from the publicity she gets I guess she is pretty good.

Warren Morris and Johnny Schwartz are now partners and they run the largest nite club in the state of Ohio. They have only the most exclusive bands and beverages.

Bill McNamee is now Coach for York. He has the best team in the county and the last few years his boys have been victorious over the State.

Well Dorothy Crow finally got her ring. She is now living in wedded bliss in Haviland. Remember how Dorothy always said she wouldn't get married. Boy did she ever lose a lot of bets.

Earl Davis finally made the movies. He plays opposite Lucille Ball and for the last two years he has won the "Oscar" for being the best actor. Did you see his latest show "Moonlight on the Little Auglaize"? He was simply wonderful.

As you probably know I am happily married and I have my own Beauty Shoppe right in my home. If you ever need a permanent you know where to come.

Yours truly

Helen

Top—Earl Davis, Marilyn Evans, Lloyd Miller, Dorothy Crowe, Marcia Painter, Helen Hiller, Georgia George, Ida Thomas, David Williams, Bill McNamee.
Bottom—Standing—David Williams, Mrs. Morris, Helen Hiller, Georgia George, Lloyd Miller.
Seated—Marcia Painter, Bill McNamee, Marilyn Evans, Dorothy Crowe, Ida Thomas, Earl Davis.

Senior Class Play

"Galloping Ghosts"

Galloping Ghosts was presented October 18, 1946 by the Senior Class. It was directed by Mrs. Arlene Morris.

Miss Elizabeth Barton, who loved children and brought up two sets of her brother's children was in need of money although she would not admit it. Richard Barton her wealthy nephew fixed a scene where she would believe that the money would be found which her father had hidden.

When Pat and Phil heard this they made a "Ghost" of their own, only to frighten the whole household. The clairvoyant was a crook and double-crossed Richard only to find herself caught by the children.

At the end, Richard's gold is found and also the hidden, "Ghost Gold." Everything turns out fine and everyone is happy except Madam Dupre and her accomplice, Albert who found the police after him.

This play will long be remember by persons who saw it and the characters who put it on, delighted by their success.

Those in the cast were: Ida Frances Thomas, "Miss Elizabeth Barton," the aunt; Lloyd Miller, "Dick Barton," the wealthy nephew; Earl Davis, "Tom Barton," the serious nephew; Jay Couts, "Philip Barton," the frivolous nephew; Dorothy Crowe, "Patricia Barton," the pretty niece; Helen Hiller, "Berkely Barton," Richard's wife; Marcia Painter, "Miss Melinda Todd," a distant cousin; Marilyn Evans, "Marie Farell," engaged to "Tom"; David Williams, "Stephen Dykes," in love with "Pat"; Georgia George, "Madame Dupre," a clairvoyant; William McNamee, "Albert," her accomplice.

Standing—Don Phelps, Dorothy Crowe, Clarence Wallick, Georgia George, Lloyd Miller, Earl Davis, Marilyn Evans, Marcia Painter, David Williams.
Seated—Helen Hiller, Jay Couts, Ida Thomas.

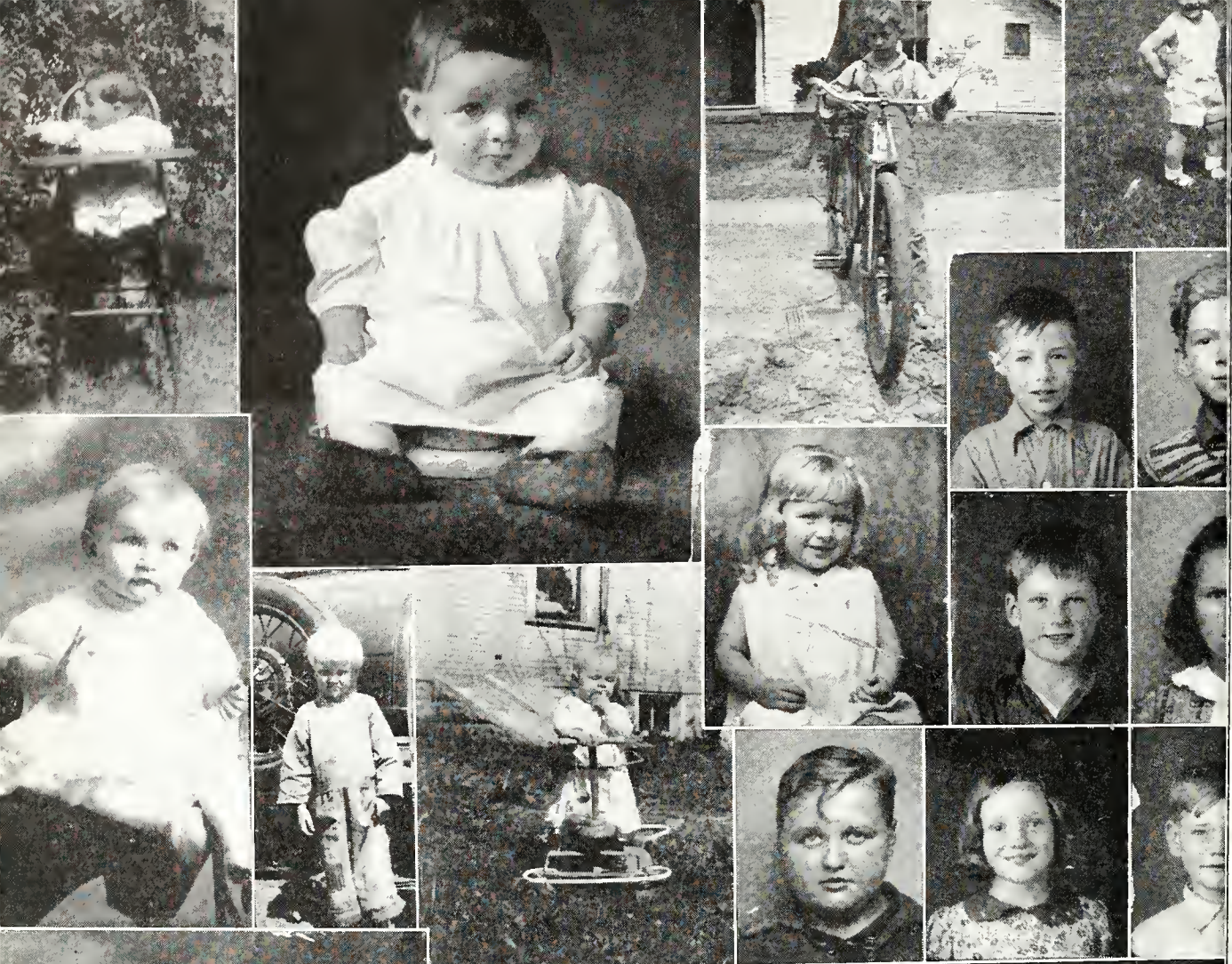
Junior Class Play

"The Whole Truth"

On April 12, 1946 we as the Junior Class gave our play "The Whole Truth." It was a farce in three acts by William D. Fisher and was directed by Miss Frances Hessenberger.

The play was about a wealthy family who Mrs. Martin made her family and servants promise to tell the truth, but she had no idea that the results would be so complicated. On the servants day off, Mr. Martin received word that a business associate was coming and he must be impressed with servants. So Johnny and Elizabeth became the chauffeur and maid, Aunt Helen takes over the cook's duties, and the local Minister is converted into the butler. The children's sweethearts arrive and so does Aunt Mat, who dislikes servants.

The play ended happily though many mad-cap situations and ribcracking moments came from the audience. The cast was as follows: Earl Davis, "Mr. Joseph Martin," the father; Marilyn Evans, "Mrs. Mildred Martin," the mother; Jay Couts, "Johnny Martin," their son; Dorothy Crowe, "Elizabeth Martin," their daughter; Ida Thomas, "Helen Martin," Joseph's sister; Clarence Wallick, "Reverend Jacob Teasle," local minister; David Williams, "G. Witford Mondorf," business associate; Marcia Painter, "Aunt Mat Worth," Mildred's sister; Don Phelps, "Tom DeNorth," Elizabeth's boyfriend; Helen Hiller, "Lucille Armitage," Johnny's girlfriend; Lloyd Miller, "Johnson," the butler; Georgia George, "Harriet," the maid.



Reading Down - Left to Right

I Clarence Wallick, Marcia Painter,
George Coutz, John Salverty, Don Philpa
-insert- Ola Thomas

II Lloyd Miller, Helen Miller

III Bill McNamee Marilyn Evans
Warren Morris

IV Paul Williams, C. Everett Rigdon
Dorothy Crouse, Earl Davis

Insert Row. Jay Coutz, Paul Linton

Baccalaureate

Sunday, May 25, 1947

8:00 P. M.

Rev. Raymond Daniel ---------- Minister

Rev. Gerald Johnson ---------- Assistant

Processional

Invocation

Hymn ---------- "Faith of Our Fathers"
Audience

Scripture Reading

Trumpet Solo ---------- Dale Lewis

Class Sermon

"We Thank Thee Lord" ---------- Bortniansky

"The Lord Bless You and Keep You" ---------- Lutkin
H. S. Octet

Benediction

Commencement

Tuesday, May 27, 1947
8:00 P. M.

Processional

Invocation ---------- Rev. George Sill

Salutatory Address ---------- "In Appreciation"
Helen Hiller

Selection ---------- Senior Boys

Valedictory Address ---------- "Bought and Paid For - Democracy"
David Williams

"Smiling Thru" ---------- Senior Mixed Group

Class Address ---------- Joseph L. Tucker, Jr.,
International College, Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Sextet ---------- "Among My Souvenirs"
Senior Girls

Presentation of Class ---------- D. E. McDonel, Supt.

Presentation of Diplomas ---------- Lloyd Rees,
President, Board of Education

Presentation of Eighth Grade Diplomas and Awards

Benediction

Recessional

Standing—Edwin Pollock, Paul Davis, Morgan Roberts, Donald Boley, Wayne Bolton.
Seated—Joan Bevington, Maxine Crone, Miss Breese, Eva Watson, Mary Ellen Couts.

Junior News

On September 10, 1946, the class president, Dale Lewis, called the class to order to elect class officers. Class officers elected were:

President — Eva Watson
Vice President — Donald Boley
Secretary — Wayne Bolton
Treasurer — Dale Lewis
Reporter — Morgan Roberts

November 28th we sponsored the Thanksgiving Day dinner.

Christmas we exchanged gifts at the home of Miss Breese and then went caroling.

The Junior Class Play was presented on the night of April 18.

The Juniors successfully edited the "Spotlight" this past year.

Sophomore News

We elected officers the first week of school. They are as follows:

President — Margaret Ries
Vice President — Nancy Evans
Treasurer — Jack Fronefield
Secretary — Mary Linton
News Reporter — Ettamay Patrick

Our class enjoyed a Halloween party given by Nancy Evans at her home. At which some of us masqueraded.

We had our Christmas exchange on the last day of the year of 1946 in school. Following the same night we had a sleigh ride. We also sang carols.

We are all hoping to become Juniors for the coming year 1947-1948.

Standing—Betty Potts, Margaret Ries, Nancy Evans, Mary Linton, Dorothy Thatcher, June Coil, Ettamay Patrick.
Seated—Mr. Ray, Kenneth Crowe, Paul Gamble, Merl Emans, Jack Fronefield, Edward Rigdon.

Standing—Dean Swygart, Howard Bevington, Gordon Jones, Mr. Fryer, Don Price, Bobbie Muter, Dick Weber, John Benneman.
Seated—Dorothea Pugh, Anna Lee Taylor, Connie Perez, Carribelle Burcaw, Jackie Galloway, Eleanor Evans.

Freshman News

We started our High School life with fifteen members and the first day we held a class meeting and elected the following officers:

President — Gordon Jones
Vice President — Jackie Galloway
Secretary — Howard Bevington
Treasurer — John Brenneman
News Reporter — Anna Lee Taylor

We had two very successful parties this year — One, a hayride at Hallowe'en time, beginning at the home of Jackie Galloway and coming back there for refreshments. The other was a New Year's party, held at John Brenneman's, where we watched the New Year come in and resolved to do our best in school in the coming year.

We all enjoyed our Christmas exchange.

The whole class is proud that John Brenneman and Howard Bevington made the Varsity bench during the season.

For Thanksgiving we put on our first real play. It was "Wildcat Willie Carves the Turkey," with Mrs. Morris directing. We were all proud that we were asked to put it on for the young people's box social in Venedocia. We also put on the Christmas chapel with a very short play and carol singing.

8th Grade

Top—Standing—Edward Jones, George Swygart, Mrs. Pugh, Harold Boley, Gene Oberlitner, Roger Heath.
Seated—Ruth Ellen Davis, Carolyn Wise, Jane Overhalt, Mildred Gamble, Gloria Jean George, Joan Pollock.

7th Grade

Bottom—Third Row—Jane Swygart, Stanley D. Welker, Dick Crowe, Robert Burcaw, Gene Wollenhaupt, Robert Taylor, Billy Hughes, Mary Helen Davis.
Second Row—Marilyn Dee Lewis, Maxine Potts, Joan Wise, Mrs. Pugh, Mary Jane Welker, Ellen Price, Carol Phelps.
First Row—Vernon Boley, Hugh Owen Pugh, David Owen Evans, Joan Evans, Day Galloway, Paul Perez, Byron Nolan, Jack Wallick.

6th Grade

Top—Second Row—Gene Oberlitner, Frank Pollock, Becky Hughes, Martha Van Eman, Reed Linton, Marvin Taylor.

First Row—Marvin Welker, Marcia Taylor, Diane Nichols, Mr. Jones, Deloris Price, Mary Ellen Boley, Cookie Morris.

5th Grade

Second—Third Row—John Dolhey, Carl Potts, Kenny Boley, Harold Allen, Roger Price, Hugh Jones, Harold Etgen.

Second Row—Shirley Pollock, Romual Romos, Gerald Geise, Jim Myers, Wayne Gamble, Mae Myers, Mr. Jones.

First Row—Shirley Potts, Gloria Welker, Wanda Emans, Kathryn Profit, Ruth Pruden, Betty Crowe, Marguerite Burcaw.

4th Grade

Bottom—Third Row—Joyce McDonel, Doris Davies, Janell Swygart, Ruby Ashton, Virginia Rider, Colleen Bevington.

Second Row—Joe Perez, Bennie Morris, Charles Clause, Adolph Ramos, James Diss, Mrs. Zinn.

First Row—Bobbie Osborne, Bernell Hammons, Bill Evans, Paul Price, John C. Morris, Kenneth Kundert.

3rd Grade

Top—Third Row—Don Roger, Williams, Eileen Price, Evelyn Perez, Ann Overholt, Carl Pollock, Miss Nagel.

Second Row—Arnold Morris, David Welker, Richard Morris, John Linton, Larry Welker.

First Row—Martha Dolhey, Ruth Thatcher, Louise Mericle, Ruth Ann Welker, Leota Long.

2nd Grade

Second—Third Row—Angus Morris, Gloria Morris, Carol Potts, Jean Ann Allen, Ruth Oberlitner, Ronnie Owens.

Second Row—Bobby Patterson, Bobbly Jamison, Janice Hoover, Dickie Schwartz, Leora Wilkins, Bobby Coil.

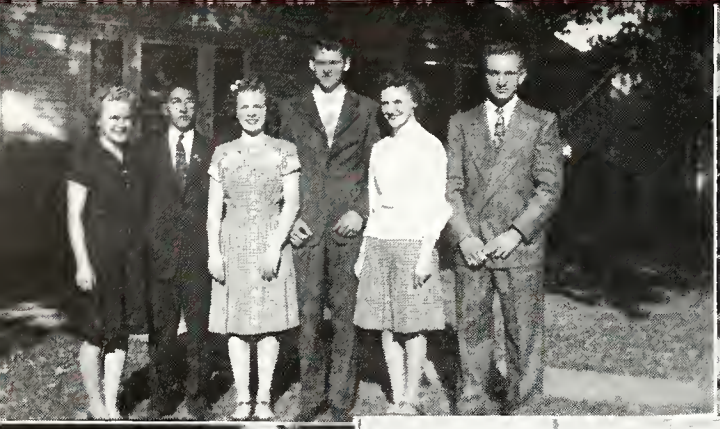
First Row—Rodney Bevington, Jimmy McDonel, Mary Osborne, Jane Muter, Mary Jane Book, Joyce Evans, Lowell Nolan.

1st Grade

Bottom—Third Row—Donnie Muter, Roger Potts, Janet Galloway, Jane Galloway, Susan Diss, Joe Book, Junior Mericle.

Second Row—Mark Welker, Jimmy Wollet, Edward Long, Louise Hammon, Marilyn Etgen, Helen Morris, Roger Jamison.

First Row—Jerry Bolton, Roger Neate, Juanita Stahl, Shirley Kundert, Marilyn Gamble, Sandra Feasby, Richard Perez, Larry Profit.



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Studying Hard

Standing: Marcia Painter, Ray Couts, Everett Rigdon Ida Thomas, Lloyd Miller, Mrs. Morris, John Schwartz, Warren Morris, Jay Couts, Marilyn Evans, Bill McNamee.
Seated: Dorothy Crowe, Earl Davis, David Williams, George Couts, Helen Hiller.
Front Row: Paul Linton, Don Phelps, Clarence Wallick

Editor-in-Chief	David Williams
Assistant Editor	George Couts
Art Editor	Earl Davies
Business Manager	Jay Couts
Sport Editor	Bill McNamee

Staff

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F. F. A. News

This year the F. F. A. has 22 members. There are 8 Freshmen, 2 Sophomores, 5 Juniors and 7 Seniors.

Last summer some of the members went to the State Judging Contest. It was a fine trip and we stayed overnight at the Deshler-Wallick Hotel in Columbus. The Poultry Judging Team scored tenth in the state. We think that is very fine.

Everyone started the year with a good project program of which some are continued projects and some are new.

There are 56 projects and 25 supervised practices.

The Junior and Senior classes are studying soil and farm management. The Freshman and Sophomore classes are studying project problems and farm crop management.

Y-Teens

Mrs. Morris has taken over the Y-Teens this year. We have changed the name of the organization, it used to be Girl Reserves but it is now Y-Teens. We elected the following officers: President, Helen Hiller; Vice President, Jackie Galloway; Secretary, Carriebelle Burcaw; Treasurer, Ida Thomas; Reporter, Ettamay Patrick; Program Chairman, Mary Linton; World Fellowship, Nancy Evans; Devotional Leader, Dorothea Pugh; Pianist, Nancy Evans; Song Leader, Margaret Ries; Social Chairman, Anna Lee Taylor.

We had very interesting meetings this year.

Third Row—Ettamay Patrick, Marcia Painter, Ida Thomas, June Coil.
Second Row—Nancy Evans, Carriebelle Burcaw, Helen Hiller, Mary Linton.
First Row—Dorothea Pugh, Jackie Galloway, Margaret Ries, Anna Lee Taylor.

Fourth Row—Jackie Gallaway, Mary Linton, Nancy Evans, Dorothy Thatcher, Ettamay Patrick, Marcia Painter, Ida Thomas, Marilyn Evans, Dorothy Crowe, Eleanor Evans, Carribelle Burcaw, Joan Bevington.
Third Row—Wayne Bolton, Paul Davis, Bill McNamee, Everett Rigdon, Miss Breese, Morgan Roberts, Donald Boley, Edwin Pollock, Edward Rigdon.
Second Row—Mary Ellen Couts, Eva Watson, Maxine Crone, Connie Perez, Margaret Ries, Anna Lee Taylor, Dorothea Pugh, June Coil, Betty Potts, Helen Hiller.
First Row—Howard Bevington, Kenneth Crowe, Dick Weber, Don Price, Bobbie Muter, Dean Swygart, John Brenneman.

Mixed Chorus

On October 23, 1946 the High School Chorus motored to Union to present a county music festival, instrumental and vocal.

The vocal numbers were:

Girls' Chorus
1. Lift Thine Eyes
2. Vale of Tuoni

Boys' Chorus
1. Home On The Range
2. O Lord Most Holy

Mixed Chorus with Orchestra
1. Beautiful Dreamer
2. A Mighty Fortress is our God
3. Camptown Races
4. Nobody Knows the Trouble I've Seen

The program concluded by everyone singing "Now the Day Is Over."

Music

On April 25, 1947 another vocal festival is to be held at Convoy, Ohio. Each school will send a group of eight as representatives of that school. A guest conductor will lead the group and to conclude the program the choir will sing "The Lord Bless You and Keep You."

We also will have a part in the spring festival held here on May 9, 1947.

School Calendar

September

9 First day of school, Freshmen are lost, only half a day of school.
20 Our first baseball game, here, we played Middle Point.
25 First diphtheria tests, my what a noise!
27 We journeyed to Convoy for a baseball game.

October

4 Baseball game with Wren.
11 We had a big game with Ohio City. Wonder who won!!!
17 End of first six weeks, just five more to go.
18 The big Senior Class Play. My WHAT A CROWD! WHAT A PLAY! WHAT A SUCCESS!!!
22 The first group of annual pictures taken. Not so hot, we'll see what happens the next time.
23 The High School Mixed Chorus journeyed to Union for the Fall Music Festival.
29 Fall Teachers' Banquet held at Hoaglin-Jackson.

November

1 It won't be long until the Juniors will be flashing their rings around.
8 The Sophomores had a theater party tonight. Boy, what a time.
12 Our first basketball game with Middle Point. We almost won!
14 Legion Basketball practice here tonight.
15 The Buckland players came marching in to play a big game. It was too.
22 Neptune was our next opponent. Not so bad or was it?
26 Ridge played here. WE WON!!!
27 Today ends the second six weeks. Now only four to go.
28-29 Thanksgiving Vacation—Heap big dinner!!!

December

3 Delphos Jefferson came to see what we had. Good game.
5 Jr. Hi Basketball at York. Hoaglin Jackson, Hello.
6 We played Hoaglin Jackson there, not much luck.
10 Spencerville there, Bill McNamee saw his old pals.
12 Our Jr. Hi boys played Middle Point.
13 Middle Point played here. Did we ever get beat!!!
17 We won a victory over Wren.
20 Christmas Program, quite a success. Christmas Vacation.

January

6 Returned to school.
9 Jr. Hi Basketball at Ridge. That is our future team.
10 We played Ridge there. We won both games.
16 Jr. Hi Basketball at Ohio City. Not too bad.
17 Ohio City Basketball game here. Oh! Oh!
21 We played Mendon there.
24 Dukes played Indians there. What happened York? Convoy seemed pleased.
24 End of third six weeks.
27 We were given a vacation for two weeks. We were quarantined. Basketball games scheduled for later.

February

5 County D.A.R. Test. The four York girls were still quarantined.
10 Back to school. Gee Whiz!!! Same old thing.
11 Basketball game at Willshire. Oh Heck! They won.
13 Jr. Hi game at Wren. Lost again.
14 We played Wren. Victory was our score.
17-22 County Tournament Week. We drew Middle Point. They won.

March

1 Spring Teachers' Banquet at Ridge.
7 End of fourth six weeks. Only two more to go. Hip, Hip.

April

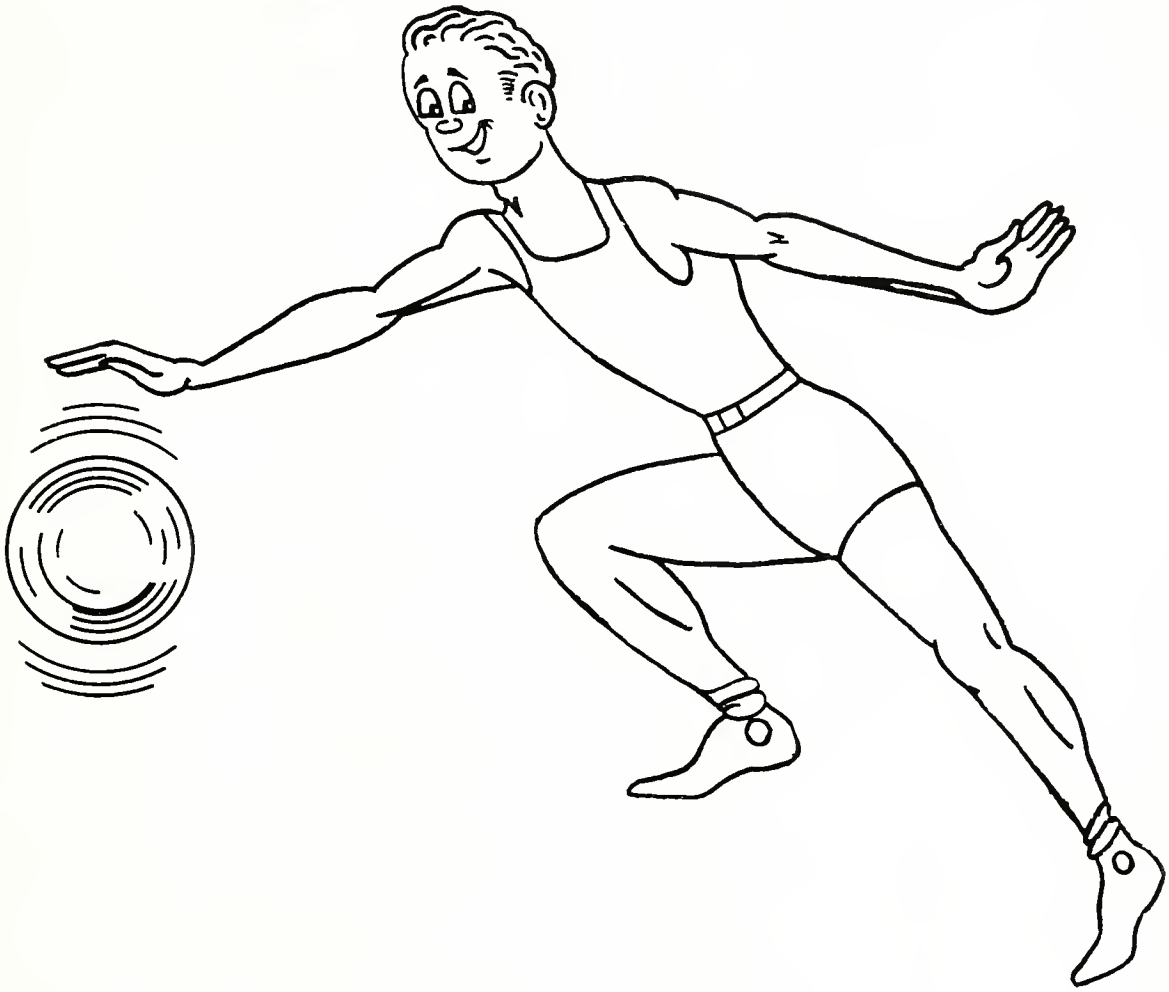
3 Baseball with Willshire, there.
4 Good Friday. Vacation.
11 We play baseball with Union here. Recon' everyone will be in sight then.
18 End of fifth six weeks. Hoaglin Jackson has a game with us here. We recognized their pitcher, D.G.
25 Vocal Music Festival at Convoy. Is everyone on pitch?

May

2 School Music Program.
25 Baccalaureate Program.
27 Last of all programs for us Seniors as a group. Tonight is the Commencement. Farewell, Seniors, Farewell. No tears, please.
28 Senior Class takes a trip to Chicago. Now you are graduates, act your age.

Autographs

Playing Fair



Coach — Melville Fryer

99—Earl Davis—Forward

Earl a real scrapper to the last, and one who kept plugging in all the games even though the tide was turning. He will be missed on the squad next year.

55—Paul Linton—Center

Paul is a good bank man and has very sharp elbows, he has helped us out of many tough spots this year.

11—George Couts—Center

George is a good rebound man with plenty of drive, he sure likes to rought-it-up. He will be missed on the squad next year.

44—Jack Fronefield—Forward

Jack, with plenty of fight and a good defense man should be one of York's aces in his next two years.

33—Donald Boley—Forward

Don is a good bankboard man, and with his deadly shooting should make one of York's aces next year.

66—Ed Pollock—Guard

Ed should make one of York's outstanding guards next year.

77—David Williams—Guard

David by his good ball-handling makes up for his height. He will be missed on the squad next year.

88—Dale Lewis—Forward

Dale should be one of York's leading players next year with his sharp-shooting eye from the corners.

00—Bill McNamee—Guard

Bill came to York from Spencerville and played with the Dukes one year. He will be missed on the squad next year.

York—19	Middle Point—46
York—33	Buckland—50
York—33	Neptune—28
York—32	Ridge—29
York—29	Delphos Jefferson—49
York—29	Hoaglin-Jackson—41
York—46	Spencerville—83
York—43	Middle Point—65
York—66	Wren—33
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York—31	Mendon—54
York—42	Convoy—88
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Basketball Group

Third Row—Wayne Bolton, Manager, Bill McNamee, Earl Davis, Paul Linton, Donald Boley, Edwin Pollock, Don Phelps, Manager.
Second Row—Mr. Fryer, Coach, Don Price, George Couts, Ray Couts, Jack Fronefield, David Williams, Dale Lewis, Robert Muter.
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Jackie Galloway **Nancy Evans**

Fall of 1946

York	5	Middle Point 7
York	4	Convoy 2
York	13	Wren 9
York	8	Ohio City 9
York	5	Hoaglin Jackson 4

York's baseball team showed what is could do this fall when it turned in 3 wins with only 2 defeats. All the games played were very hard fought. The boys have very high hopes for winning the tournament next spring.

Positions of Players

Bill McNamee — Catcher, Pitcher
Ray Couts — Centerfield
Paul Gamble — Substitute
Edwin Pollock — Catcher, Third baseman
Donald Boley — Pitcher, Shortstop
Dale Lewis — First baseman
John Brenneman — Second baseman
Earl Davis — Pitcher, Shortstop
Don Price — Substitute
Howard Bevington — Left field
Dean Swygart — Right field
Bobby Muter — Substitute
David Williams — Manager

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Jokes

Never hit a man when he is down, he might get back up.

"My feet are sticking out of the covers."
"Why don't you pull them in?"
"I ain't putting those cold things in bed with me."

Hubby, is everything shut up for the night?
That depends on you dear, everything else is.

From birth to 18 a girl needs good parents.
From 18 to 35 she needs good looks.
From 35 to 55 a woman needs personality.
And from 55 on the old lady needs CASH.

The new cars have four speeds: first, second, third, and you'll be sorry.

Mrs. Morris, trying to impress honesty, asked her students to sign a pledge that they had or had given no help on a test. Bill McNamee's paper came back with the following: "I hain't received any help on this exam and anybody knows I couldn't give any."

Mr. McDonel: How long have you been working on your lessons?
Earl: Ever since you came in the room.

John: Let's walk in the garden.
May: No, I'm afraid if we do you'll kiss me.
John: Honest, I won't.
May: Then what's the use?

Every girl has two sweethearts, one whom she loves, and the one who amounts to something.

Don't tear your hair out over a woman. It'll be harder to meet the next one if you're bald.

Does he love her?
Why he worships the ground her father struck oil on.

Applicant: Have you an opening for me?
Office Manager: Yes, but don't slam it on the way out.

George struck out several times. He reportedly complained of seeing three balls every time he looked at a pitch. Mr. Fryer remarked: The next time go up there and hit the middle ball. When he struck out again, Fryer remarked, I thought I told you to hit the middle ball. "That's what I did," said George, "but I hit it with the wrong bat."

Autographs

We're Thru!!!

Standing—Marcia Painter, Ray Couts, Everett Rigdon, Lloyd Miller, Ida Thomas, Mrs. Morris, John Schwartz, Warren Morris, Marilyn Evans, Bill McNamee.
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Front Row—Paul Linton, Don Phelps, Clarence Wallick.

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